

# **AGENDA**

## **Wednesday - September 19, 2012**

TIME	DISCUSSION ITEM	PRESENTER
<b>1:00 - 1:30</b> (30 min)	<b>Welcome</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of Facilitator, Advisory Panel, and Staff</li> <li>• Agenda adoption</li> </ul>	<b>Scott McCreary</b> <b>Facilitator</b>
<b>1:30 - 2:15</b> (45 min)	<b>Overview of Recent Activities &amp; Upcoming Actions/Issues</b> HMS Fisheries & Regulatory Updates	<b>HMS Staff</b>
<b>2:15 - 3:00</b> (45 min)	<b>Update on Weak Hook Research / Preliminary Analysis</b>	<b>Daniel Foster,</b> <b>SEFSC</b>
<b>3:00 - 3:30</b> (30 min)	<b>Law Enforcement Update</b>	<b>NMFS/USCG Staff</b>
<b>3:30 - 3:45</b>	<b>– Break –</b> (15 min)	
<b>3:45 - 5:45</b> (120 min)	<b>Amendment 5 Pre-Draft: Atlantic Shark Rebuilding &amp; Ending Overfishing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sandbar, Dusky, Blacknose, Scalloped, &amp; Hammerhead Shark Presentation and Q&amp;A</li> <li>• HMS Advisory Panel discussion</li> </ul>	<b>HMS Staff</b>
<b>5:45 - 6:00</b> (15 min)	<b>-Public Comment-</b>	
<b>6:00</b>	<b>– Adjourn –</b>	

## **Thursday - September 20, 2012**

TIME	DISCUSSION ITEM	PRESENTER
<b>8:30 - 8:45</b> (15 min)	<b>Reconvene</b>	
<b>8:45 - 9:30</b> (45 min)	<b>Year to Date in Review</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2012 Bluefin Tuna Specifications</li> <li>• Other issues</li> </ul>	<b>HMS Staff</b>
<b>9:30 - 10:15</b> (45 min)	<b>PreDraft Amendment 7 on Bluefin Tuna Management</b>	<b>HMS Staff</b>
<b>10:15 - 10:30</b>	<b>– Break –</b> (15 min)	
<b>10:30 - 12:00</b> (90 min)	<b>PreDraft Amendment 7 - Bluefin Tuna Management (cont'd)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HMS Advisory Panel Discussion</li> <li>• Next Steps</li> </ul>	<b>HMS Staff</b>

12:00 - 1:30 – Lunch – (90 min)		
1:30 - 2:00 (90 min)	<b>Remarks from Samuel D. Rauch, III</b> Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries <i>(Invited)</i>	Samuel D. Rauch
2:00 - 2:30 (30 min)	<b>Draft Amendment 4 on Caribbean HMS Management</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public Comment Summary</li> <li>Next Steps</li> </ul>	HMS Staff
2:30 - 3:00 (30 min)	<b>Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species Updates</b>	NMFS Staff
3:00 - 3:30 (30 min)	<b>Final HMS Research Plan</b>	NMFS Staff
3:30 - 3:45 – Break – (15 min)		
3:45 - 4:30 (45 min)	<b>Draft Amendment 8 on Swordfish Commercial Access</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Status Update</li> <li>Next Steps</li> </ul>	HMS Staff
4:30 - 5:15 (45 min)	<b>United States -- Bahamas Maritime Boundary</b>	Dept. of State Staff
5:15 - 5:30 (15 min)	<b>-Public Comment-</b>	
5:30 – Adjourn –		

### Friday - September 21, 2012

TIME	DISCUSSION ITEM	PRESENTER
8:30 - 8:45 (15 min)	<b>Reconvene</b>	
8:45 - 9:45 (60 min)	<b>Recreational HMS Issues/Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HMS Recreational Action Plan Next Steps</li> <li>Massachusetts Census Bluefin Tuna Pilot Program Update</li> <li>Large Pelagics Survey Re-estimation &amp; Puerto Rico Catch</li> <li>Card Pilot Updates</li> <li>Yellowfin Tuna Recreational Landings Issues</li> <li>LA Yellowfin Tuna Recreational Permit &amp; Reporting Update</li> <li>HMS Tournament Reporting &amp; Registration Update</li> </ul>	NMFS Staff
9:45 - 10:00 – Break – (15 min)		
10:00 - 10:45 (45 min)	<b>Electronic HMS Dealer Reporting Final Rule</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>eDealer Presentation &amp; Demonstration</li> </ul>	
10:45 - 11:00 (15 min)	<b>-Public Comment-</b>	
11:00 - 12:00 (60 min)	<b>HMS Advisory Panel Priorities &amp; Next Steps</b>	HMS Staff
12:00 – Adjourn –		